

is a role model to many, and his contributions to the community will continue to be felt for many years.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues in the House of Representatives to join the citizens of Delano and I in commending Chief Robert Nevarez for his public service and wishing him well as he embarks on the next chapter of his life.

HONORING TAMMY ROSS AS
IOWAN OF THE WEEK

HON. CYNTHIA AXNE

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

Mrs. AXNE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor Tammy Ross and The East Union ASPIRE "More" Learning Center in Afton, Iowa for the tenacity and persistence they show daily to serve the people of their community. Tammy, ASPIRE More, and the town of Afton are the blueprints for what being an Iowan is all about, and what it means to support your neighbors.

ASPIRE More was opened in 2012 after they received a 21st Century Community Learning Center grant to assist with their original funding. Every morning and afternoon ASPIRE offers their services to students in transitional kindergarten through the 5th grade. It's on an income-based tuition, and they also work with DHS childcare assistance. During this time, they offer homework assistance, general enrichment activities, and activities that help with social and emotional learning.

Tammy's original goal was to help the parents of their community by offering before and after school support to k-5 students, but Tammy and the volunteers of ASPIRE More have adjusted their services over the years based on the needs of their community. Now, not only does ASPIRE offer before and after school care, they also provide food and clothing to their community via their food pantry and thrift store.

Recently, Union County SCICF awarded the East Union ASPIRE "More" Food Pantry \$5,000 towards a crisis grant during this crisis. The East Union ASPIRE "More" Food Pantry was able to serve hundreds of people in the school district in the last seven months of 2020. With the crisis grant and the generosity of local individuals and organizations, they are able to meet the needs of the people of Afton as they all continue to work together through this pandemic.

Tammy insists that the only way they have been able to reach and help so many people in Afton is because of the support of the school district and the community. When they

first started the store, there was some doubt of it being able to make a dent in the way it helped people in their small town. Through the hard work of Tammy and the volunteers, as well as the support and love from the people of their community, however, they built it up into something that genuinely reaches and helps people. 4H groups, churches, and other local organizations have all helped out through their time and donations, allowing everyone to take part in some way to give back however they can.

ASPIRE considers the work they do very rewarding, and the community of Afton is incredibly grateful for the way their neighbors have all pulled together whenever there is a crisis or a need, and the way their fellow Iowans seem to always give more than they have. I am proud to recognize Tammy Ross and The East Union ASPIRE "More" Learning Center as my Iowan of the week.

HONORING DR. MICHAEL
CHIGLINSKY

HON. H. MORGAN GRIFFITH

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

Mr. GRIFFITH. Madam Speaker, I rise in honor of Michael Anthony Chiglinsky, a Salem, Virginia School Board member, who died on April 13, 2021 at the age of 65. Widely and affectionately known as "Dr. Mike," he left a memorable mark on the Roanoke Valley area through his care and service to the children and families of the region.

Dr. Chiglinsky was born on August 7, 1955 in Williamsport, Pennsylvania. He attended nearby Lycoming College and then earned a doctorate in psychology at Georgia State University. He pursued a career as an expert in children and family therapy, which brought him to Southwest Virginia.

Dr. Chiglinsky and his wife Joanne founded ACA Counseling Services, offering support to local youth and families. He had a passion for helping children and families, which he further fulfilled as a member of the Salem School Board. His service on the board began in 2009, and he rose to vice chairman in 2013. Professional expertise, a friendly demeanor, and an interest in helping people characterized his service.

Dr. Chiglinsky's service extended far beyond Salem schools and his private practice. He often testified as an expert witness in juvenile and domestic relations court, assisting in evaluating their needs for services. His testimonies were always regarded with great value and his professional judgement was held in the highest esteem in the courts.

Dr. Chiglinsky is survived by his wife Joanne; his children, Brian, Katherine, and Peter; his daughter-in-law, Crystal; his sister, Ann; and two brothers, Joseph and Vince. I offer my condolences on the loss of this selfless and service-minded community leader.

HONORING CHIEF JEFF RASCHE

HON. GREG PENCE

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

Mr. PENCE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the service of Greenfield Police Chief Jeff Rasche. Chief Rasche is retiring from law enforcement in Hancock County after 4 decades of service to his community.

First hired as a dispatcher in 1984, Chief Rasche served Hancock County as a Sheriff's deputy and detective before becoming the Greenfield Police Chief.

Jeff has a passion for helping people and is a pillar of the community. I want to wish Chief Rasche good luck with all his future endeavors and thank him for serving his community with honor.

PAUL M. FOSTER

HON. ED PERLMUTTER

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 4, 2021

Mr. PERLMUTTER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Paul M. Foster of Denver, Colorado who will turn 100 years old on May 5, 2021.

Paul was born in 1921 in Waynesburg, Ohio. He served bravely in the U.S. Army during World War II and was honorably discharged on July 26, 1944, after serving for more than a year as a Corporal.

Paul married his first love, Lola, and they have been together for 63 years. After Lola's passing, Paul married his second love, Beverly, 15 years ago. He has two daughters, Janice and Beth.

Paul is a devoted husband and loving father, and most enjoys playing the piano in his home. Even though he never learned to read music, he is very good at playing by ear and memory and particularly enjoys playing religious hymns.

Celebrating 100 years of age is a tremendous milestone and should be celebrated. It is my privilege to wish Paul a very happy birthday and wish him all the best in the future.